

# Constrained optimization framework for interface-aware sub-scale-dynamics closure models for multi-material cells in Arbitrary-Lagrangian-Eulerian Hydrodynamics

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# Motivation

## Multi-material Arbitrary Lagrangian-Eulerian Methods

- Explicit Lagrangian (solving Lagrangian equations) phase — grid is moving with fluid
- Rezone phase — changing the mesh (improving geometrical quality, smoothing, adaptation)
- Remap phase - data transfer from Lagrangian grid to rezoned mesh
- Material interfaces may not coincide with mesh faces even for pure Lagrangian calculation - complicated shapes, painting
- Multi-material cells - cells which contain more than one material - distinct interface between materials

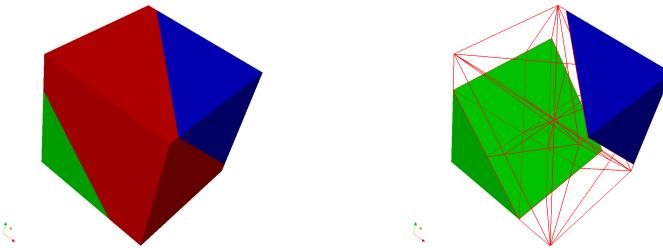


# Multi-material Lagrangian Hydro - Closure models

- Staggered Hydro - single velocity for all materials - one velocity per node
- Each material has its own mass (volume,density), internal energy, and pressure
- Each cell (including multi-material cell) has to produce one force to its vertices - one pressure to be used in momentum equation

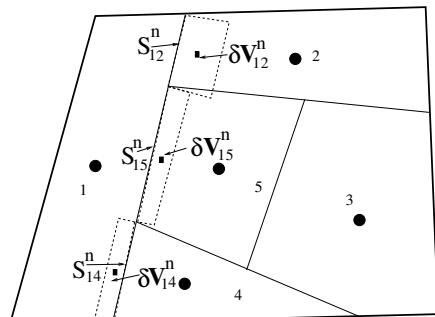
## Closure model for multi-material cell

- How to advance in time volume (density) and internal energy for each material and
- How to produce force from multi-material cell to its nodes



## Types of - Closure models

- Pressure Equilibrium (Pressure Relaxation) - Explicitly Enforced
  - Example - Tipton's (LLNL) model - does **NOT** require knowledge of interfaces between materials in the multi-material cell
- Modeling Sub-scale Dynamics
  - Models interaction of materials inside multi-material cell
  - **Requires** information about material interfaces inside multi-material cell - interface reconstruction (Moment-of-Fluid)



# Tipton's Pressure Relaxation Model

## R. Tipton (LLNL) - unpublished notes, 1989

Pressure relaxation model

$$p_i^{n+1/2} + R_i^{n+1/2} = p^{n+1/2}, \quad i - \text{material index}, \quad R_i^{n+1/2} - \text{relaxation term}$$

Relaxation term resembles viscosity

$$R_i = -l_i \rho_i (\operatorname{div} \mathbf{u})_i, \quad (\operatorname{div} \mathbf{u})_i = (1/V_i) (dV_i/dt)$$

$$R_i^{n+1/2} = -L^n \rho_i^n c_i^n (1/V_i^n) (\delta V_i^{n+1/2}/\delta t)$$

Assumption - Isentropic:  $dS_i/dt = 0$

$$p_i^{n+1/2} = p_i^n - \rho_i^n (c_i^n)^2 \delta V_i^{n+1/2}/V_i^n$$

Closure Model

$$p_i^n - \rho_i^n (c_i^n)^2 [1 + L^n/(c_i^n \delta t)] \delta V_i^{n+1/2}/V_i^n = p^{n+1/2}, \quad \sum_i \delta V_i^{n+1/2} = \delta V^{n+1/2}$$



## Explicit solution

$$p^{n+1/2} = \bar{p}^n - \bar{B}^n \delta V^{n+1/2} / V^n$$
$$\delta V_i^{n+1/2} = \left( \frac{f_i^n}{B_i^n} \bar{B}^n \right) \delta V^{n+1/2} + \frac{V_i^n}{B_i^n} (p_i^n - \bar{p}^n)$$

where

$$B_i^n = \rho_i^n (c_i^n)^2 [1 + L^n / (c_i^n \delta t)], \bar{B}^n = 1 \left/ \left( \sum_i \frac{f_i^n}{B_i^n} \right) \right.$$
$$\bar{p}^n = \sum_i \left( \frac{f_i^n}{B_i^n} p_i^n \right) \left/ \sum_i \frac{f_i^n}{B_i^n} \right.$$

Bulk update - distribution of  $\delta V^{n+1/2}$  between materials:

Coefficients  $\beta_i = \frac{f_i^n}{B_i^n} \bar{B}^n$  are dimensionless,  $\sum_i \beta_i = 1$

Internal dynamics - taking into account difference in pressures  $\sim (p_i^n - \bar{p}^n)$ :

Coefficients  $\frac{V_i^n}{B_i^n}$  has following dimension  $\frac{\text{Length}^2 \times \text{Time}}{\text{Density} \times \text{Velocity}}$

Parameters:  $L^n$  - controls relaxation; maximum change in volume fractions  $\sim 25\%$



# Interface-aware sub-scale dynamics closure model

Modeling interaction of materials inside multi-material cell

## Material volume update

- Bulk update - equal volumetric strain (constant volume fraction)

$$V_i^{bulk,n+1} = f_i^n V^{n+1} \rightarrow \Delta V_i^{bulk,n+1} = f_i^n \Delta V^{n+1}$$

- Sub-scale dynamics - interaction of the materials inside multi-material cell

$$\Delta V_i^{n+1} = \Delta V_i^{bulk,n+1} + \sum_{k \in M(i)} \delta V_{i,k}, \quad \delta V_{i,k} = -\delta V_{k,i}$$



# Interface-aware sub-scale dynamics closure model

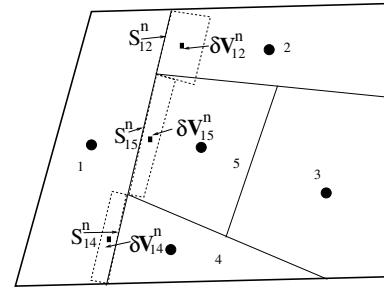
## Material volume update

$$\delta V_{i,k} = \Psi_{i,k} \delta V_{i,k}^{max}, \quad \Psi_{i,k} \in [0, 1] \text{ — is a limiter}$$

Maximum volume exchanges  
are estimated from an acoustic  
Riemann solver

$$\delta V_{i,k}^{max} = \frac{p_i - p_k}{\rho_i c_i + \rho_k c_k} S_{i,k} dt$$

Requirement  $V^{n+1} > V_i^{n+1} > 0$



Goal it to find  $\Psi_{i,k}$  as close as possible to 1 such that this requirement is satisfied

This can be formulated as quadratic optimization problem with linear constraints

# Interface-aware sub-scale dynamics closure model

## Material volume update

We will require

$$V_i^{n+1} \geq \alpha_{bot} V_i^{bulk,n+1} = \alpha_{bot} f_i^n V_i^{n+1} > 0, \quad 1 \geq \alpha_{bot} > 0$$

This inequality is always satisfied when all  $\Psi_{i,k} = 0$  - in this case

$$V_i^{n+1} = V_i^{bulk,n+1}$$

Also, because  $V_i^{n+1} > 0$  we have

$$V_{i_0} = V_{n+1} - \sum_{i \neq i_0} V_i^{n+1} < V^{n+1}$$

Feasible set for optimization problem is not empty



# Interface-aware sub-scale dynamics closure model

## Internal energy update

Each material has its own  $p dV$  equation

$$m_i (\varepsilon_i^{n+1} - \varepsilon_i^n) \sim -p_i^n \Delta V_i^{n+1}$$

Conservative form

$$m_i (\varepsilon_i^{n+1} - \varepsilon_i^n) = -p_i^n \Delta V_i^{bulk,n+1} - \sum_{k \in M(i)} p_{i,k}^* \Psi_{i,k} \delta V_{i,k}^{max}$$

Interfacial pressure  $p_{i,k}^*$  is estimated from acoustic Riemann solver

$$p_{i,k}^* = \frac{\kappa_k p_i + \kappa_i p_k}{\kappa_i + \kappa_k} - \frac{\kappa_i \kappa_k}{\kappa_i + \kappa_k} (\mathbf{n}_{i,k} \cdot (\mathbf{u}_k - \mathbf{u}_i)) , \quad \kappa = \rho c$$

$\mathbf{n}_{i,k}$  - unit normal to interface between materials  $i$  and  $k$

$\mathbf{u}_i$ ,  $\mathbf{u}_k$  - velocity of the materials



# Interface-aware sub-scale dynamics closure model

## Internal energy update

**Requirement** -  $\varepsilon_i^{n+1} > 0$

**Assumption (equal volumetric strain produces positive internal energy)  $\sim$  constraint on  $dt$  which does not depend on volume fraction**

$$m_i \varepsilon_i^{bulk,n+1} = m_i \varepsilon_i^n - p_i^n \Delta V_i^{bulk,n+1} > 0$$

$$\Delta V^{n+1}/V_n < 1/(\gamma_i - 1) \sim dt < 1/((\gamma_i - 1) \operatorname{DIV} \mathbf{u})$$

**Under this assumption the Requirement -  $\varepsilon_i^{n+1} > 0$  leads to another system of linear constraints**

$$\sum_{k \in M(i)} p_{i,k}^* \Psi_{i,k} \delta V_{i,k}^{max} \leq m_i \varepsilon_i^{bulk,n+1}$$

**for  $\Psi_{i,k}$**

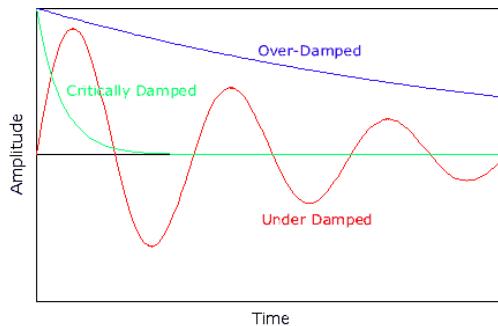


# Interface-aware sub-scale dynamics closure model

## Smooth pressure relaxation - "stability"

### Design principles

- Sub-scale model has to bring pressures obtained from bulk update closer to each other
- During relaxation material pressures not suppose to overshoot each other - **critical damping idea** (analogy with damped harmonic oscillator)



# Interface-aware sub-scale dynamics closure model

## Smooth pressure relaxation - stability

- The approximate ( $dS_i/dt = 0$ ) pressure update is

$$p_i^{n+1} = p_i^{bulk,n+1} - \frac{\rho_i^n(c_i^n)^2}{V_i^n} \sum_{k \in M(i)} \Psi_{i,k} \delta V_{i,k}^{max}, \quad p_i^{bulk,n+1} = p_i^n - \frac{\rho_i^n(c_i^n)^2}{V_i^n} \Delta V_i^{bulk,n+1}$$

- Temporary equilibrium pressure, toward which the material pressures has to relax

$$\bar{p} = \sum_i f_i^n p_i^{bulk,n+1}$$

- If  $p_i^{bulk,n+1} \geq \bar{p}$  - we require  $\alpha_i \bar{p} + (1 - \alpha_i) p_i^{bulk,n+1} \leq p_i^{n+1} \leq p_i^{bulk,n+1}$
- If  $p_i^{bulk,n+1} \leq \bar{p}$  - we require  $\alpha_i \bar{p} + (1 - \alpha_i) p_i^{bulk,n+1} \geq p_i^{n+1} \geq p_i^{bulk,n+1}$
- $1 > \alpha_i > 0$  - parameter to control the rate of the equilibration

Additional system of linear inequalities for  $\Psi_{i,k}$



# Interface-aware sub-scale dynamics closure model

## Constrained optimization framework

- Quadratic objective function -  $\sum_i \sum_{k \in M(i)} (1 - \Psi_{i,k})^2$
- System of linear constraints for  $\Psi_{i,k}$ 
  - $1 \geq \Psi_{i,k} \geq 0$
  - Positivity of material volumes
  - Positivity of internal energy
  - Controlled equilibration of the material pressures
- Software
  - QL: A Fortran Code for convex quadratic programming - User's Guide, February, 2011  
K. Schittowski - [www.klaus-schittkowski.de/software.htm](http://www.klaus-schittkowski.de/software.htm)
  - MOF - Moment-of-Fluid Interface Reconstruction



# Two-materials - Explicit Solution

- **Volume constraints**

- $\delta V_{12}^{max} > 0 \rightarrow 0 \leq \Psi_{12} \leq \frac{1-\alpha_{bot}}{|\delta V_{12}^{max}|} V_2^{bulk,n+1}$
- $\delta V_{12}^{max} < 0 \rightarrow 0 \leq \Psi_{12} \leq \frac{1-\alpha_{bot}}{|\delta V_{12}^{max}|} V_1^{bulk,n+1}$

- **Internal energy constraints**

- $\delta V_{12}^{max} > 0 \rightarrow 0 \leq \Psi_{12} \leq m_1 \varepsilon_1^{bulk,n+1} / |p_{12}^* \delta V_{12}^{max}|$
- $\delta V_{12}^{max} < 0 \rightarrow 0 \leq \Psi_{12} \leq m_2 \varepsilon_2^{bulk,n+1} / |p_{12}^* \delta V_{12}^{max}|$

- **Pressure equilibration constraints**

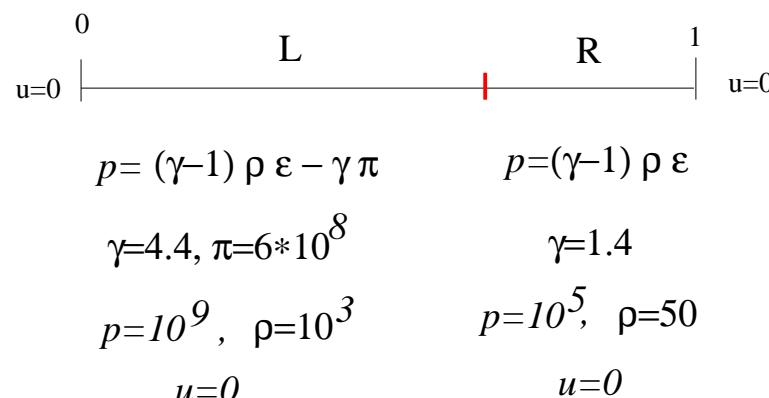
- $0 \leq \Psi_{12} \leq \min \left( \frac{(1-\alpha_1) |p_1^{bulk,n+1} - \bar{p}|}{\rho_1^n (c_1^n)^2 |\delta V_{12}^{max}|}, \frac{(1-\alpha_2) |p_2^{bulk,n+1} - \bar{p}|}{\rho_2^n (c_2^n)^2 |\delta V_{12}^{max}|} \right)$



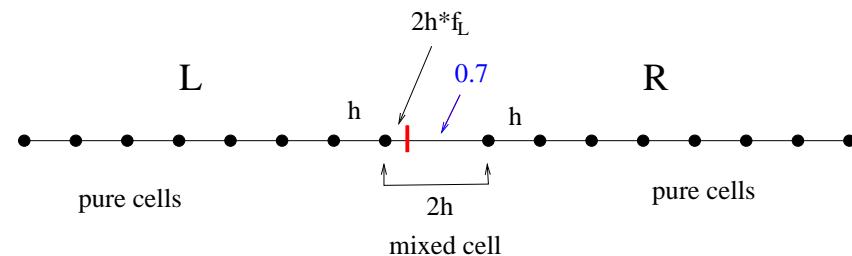
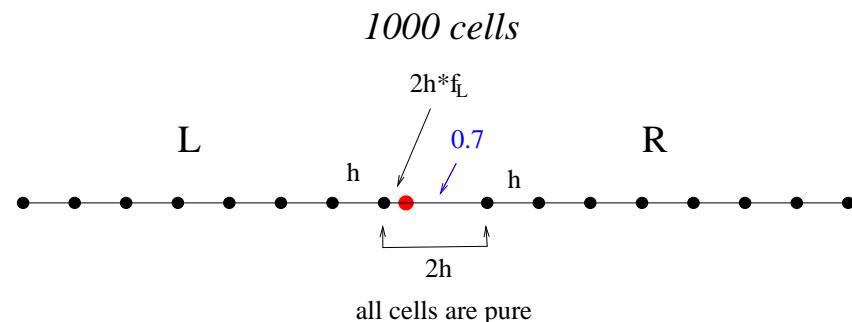
# Numerical Experiments - 1D Water-Air Riemann Problem

A. Murrone and H. Guillard, JCP, 202 (2005), p. 664

### *Statement of the problem*



$$t=2.29 \times 10^{-4}$$



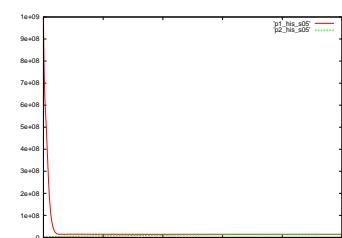
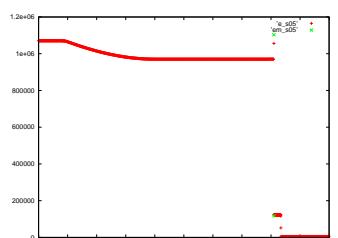
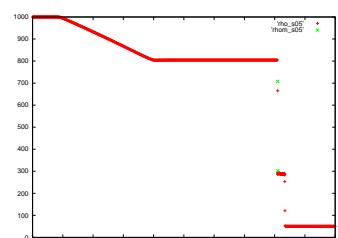
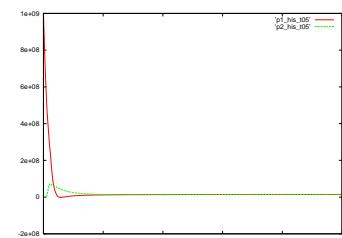
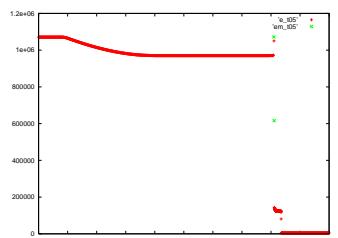
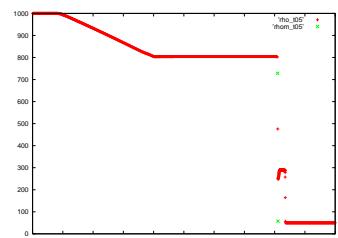
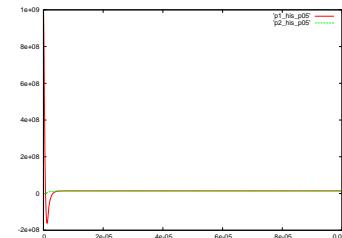
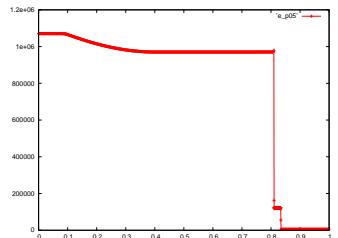
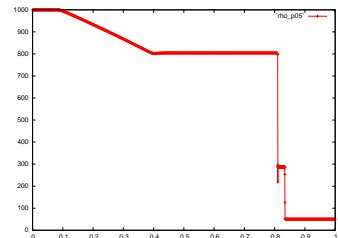
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# Numerical Experiments - 1D

## Water-Air Riemann Problem - $f_L = 0.5$

### Pure - Top, Tipton - Middle, IA-SSD - Bottom



**Density**

**Internal Energy**

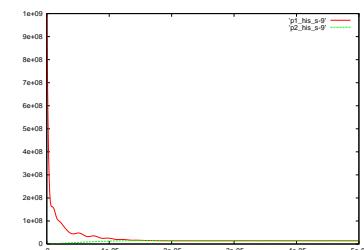
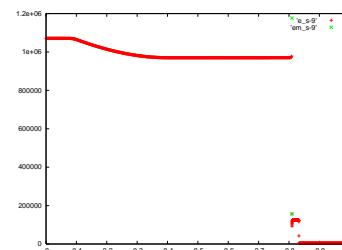
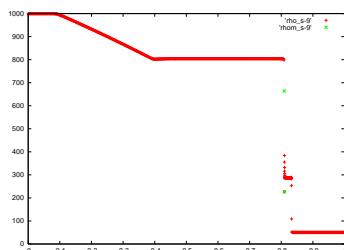
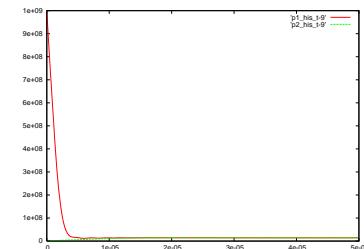
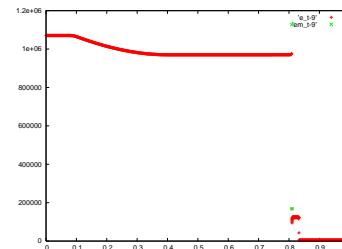
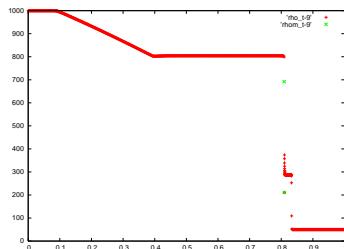
**Pressure History**

# Numerical Experiments - 1D

## Water-Air Riemann Problem - $f_L = 10^{-9}$

### Tipton - Top, IA-SSD - Bottom

- Pure cell calculations are not feasible - small  $dt$
- Tipton's model runs with standard  $L = \text{mixed cell size}$



**Density**

**Internal Energy**

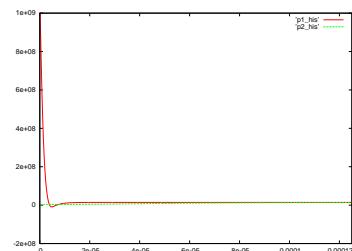
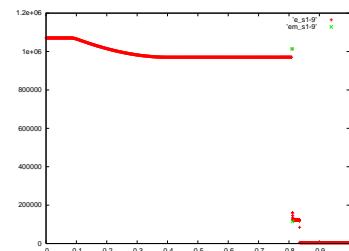
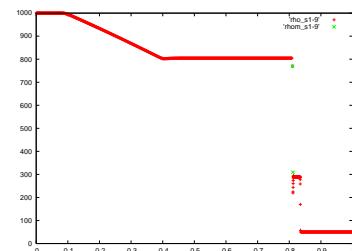
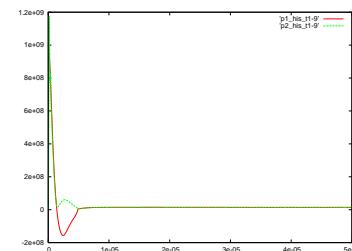
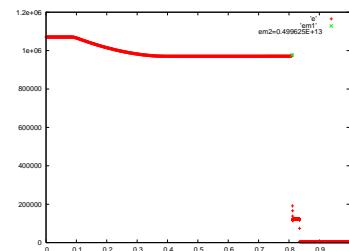
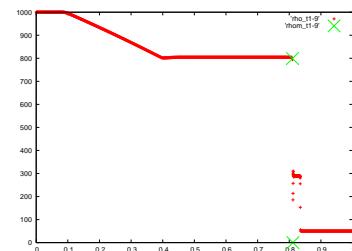
**Pressure History**

# Numerical Experiments - 1D

## Water-Air Riemann Problem - $f_L = 1 - 10^{-9}$

### Tipton - Top, IA-SSD - Bottom

- Pure cell calculations are not feasible - small  $dt$
- Tipton's model only runs for very small  $L$  - no relaxation, and produces internal energy in the materials in the multi-material cells, which are absolutely out of range and reverse -  $e_2 = 0.49 \cdot 10^{13}$
- We were not able to find any parameters (relaxation parameter, bounds for change in volume fractions) for Tipton's model which will produce reasonable material energies in the multi-material cell.



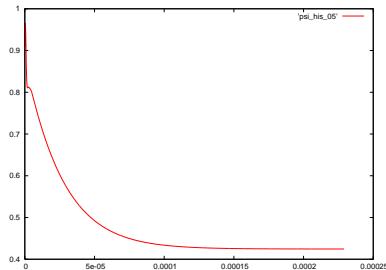
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Internal Energy

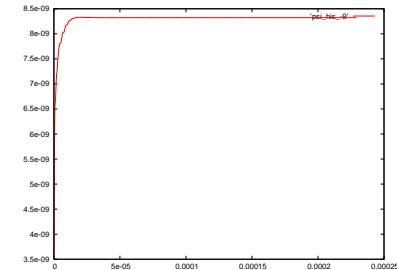
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## Numerical Experiments - 1D Water-Air Riemann Problem

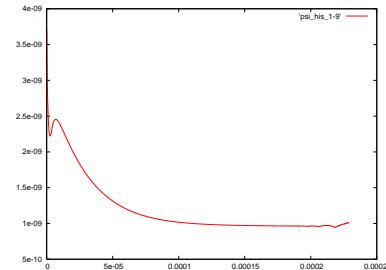
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$$f_L = 0.5$$



$$f_L = 10^{-9}$$

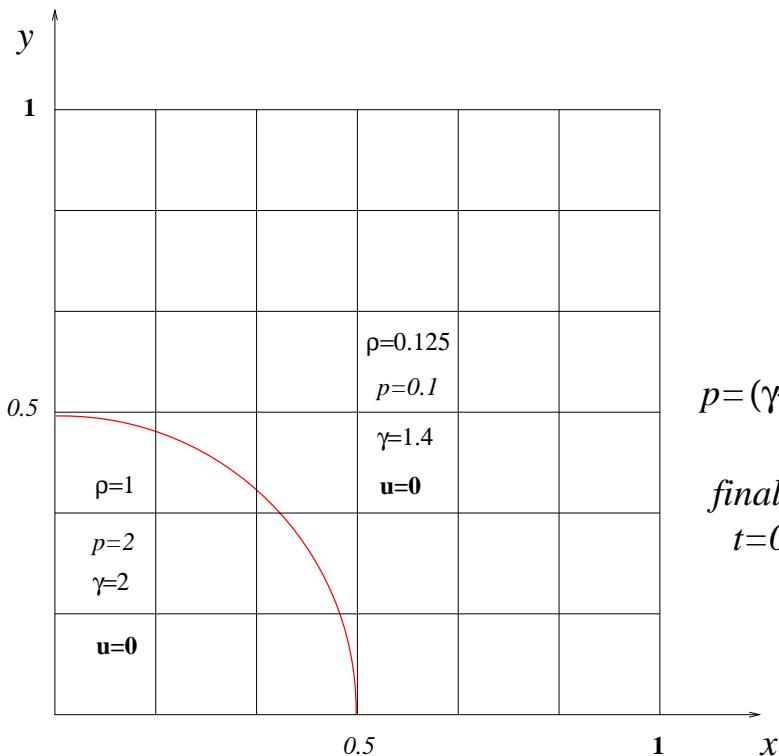


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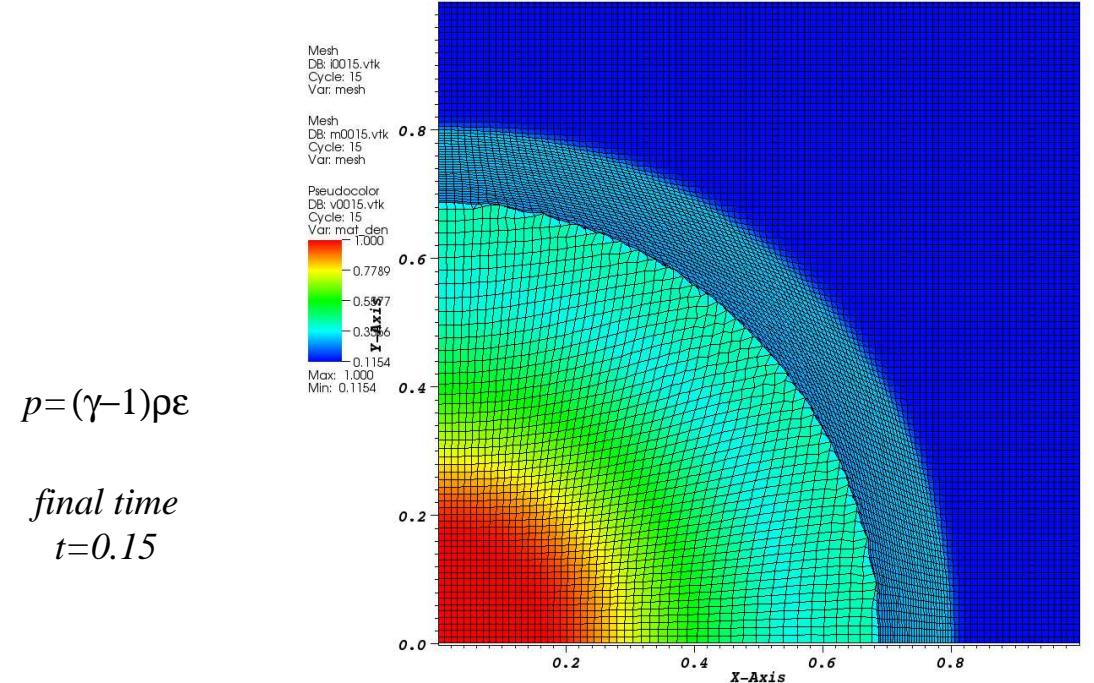
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## Numerical Experiments 2D Radial Sod Problem - Initial Square Mesh

### Lagrangian Calculations with Multi-material Cells



**Statement of the problem**

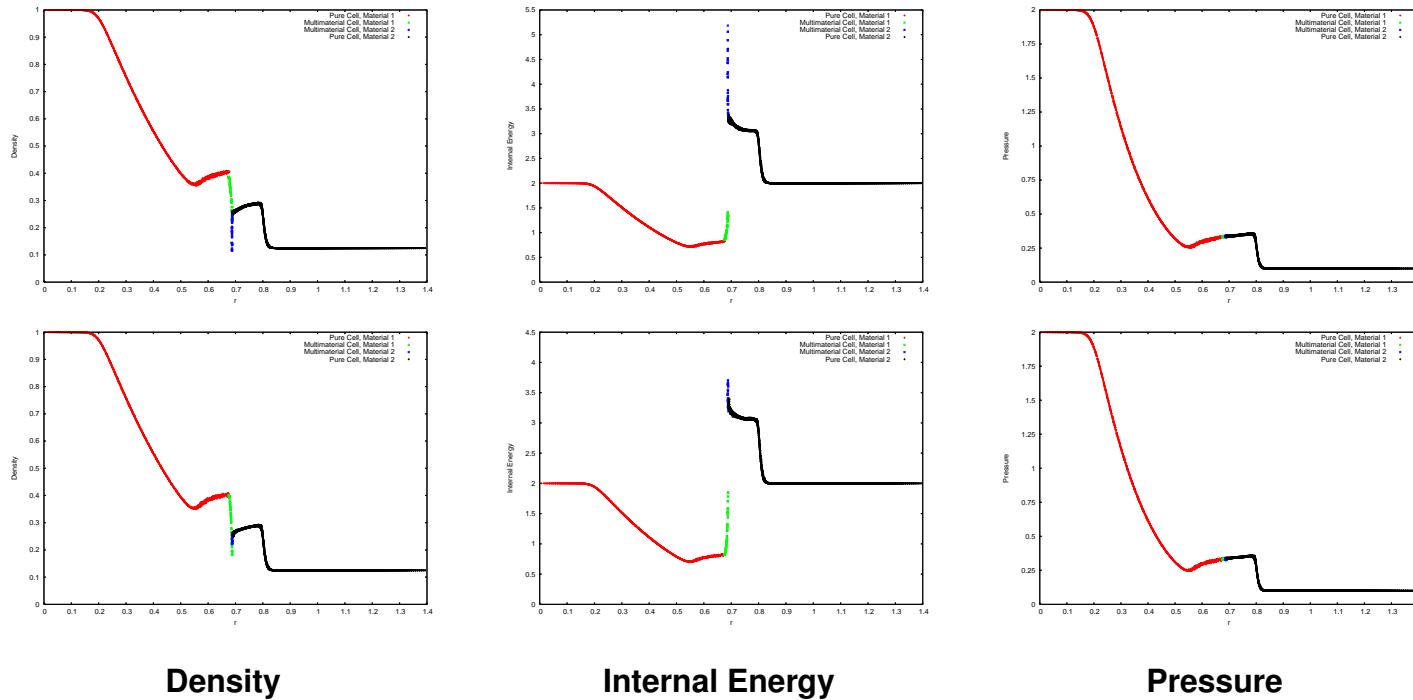


**Mesh and density at the final time**

# Numerical Experiments

## 2D Radial Sod Problem

### Scatter Plots: Top - Tipton, Bottom - IA-SSD



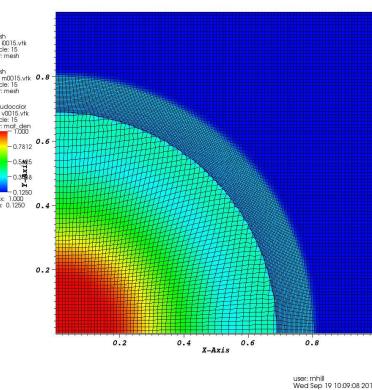
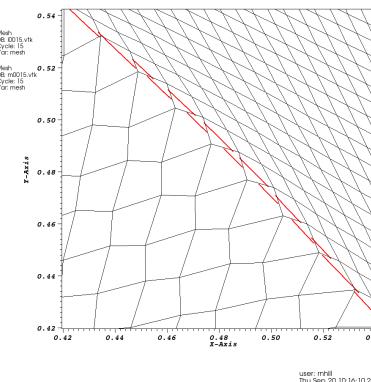
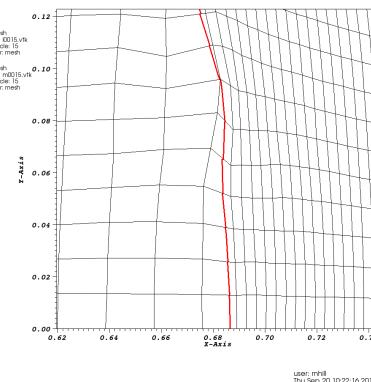
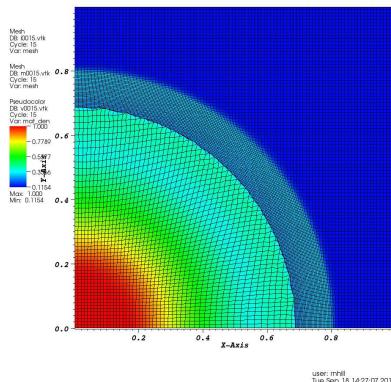
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# Numerical Experiments

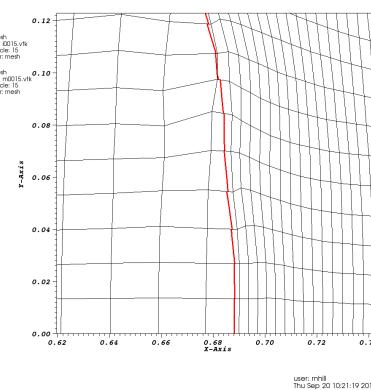
## 2D Radial Sod Problem

### Fragments of the Mesh with Interfaces in Multi-material Cells

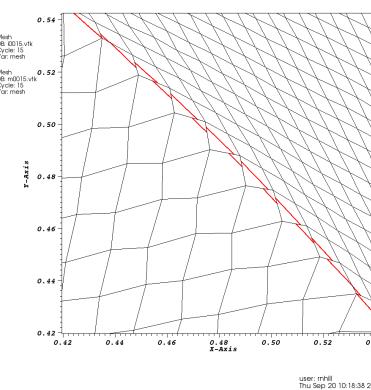
### Top - Tipton, Bottom - IA-SSD



**Entire Mesh**

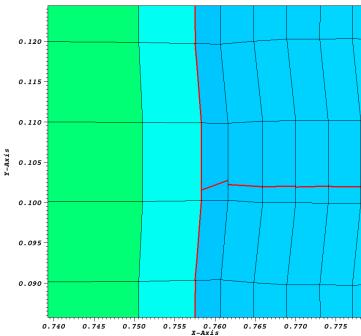
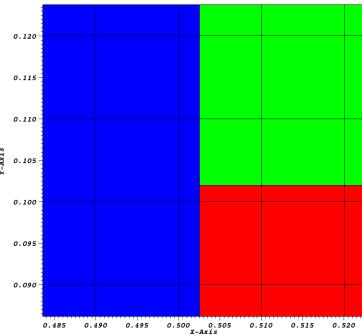


**Zoom - Close to  $x$  axis**

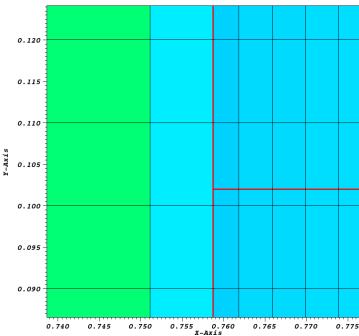


**Zoom - Close to  $45^\circ$  line**

# Modified Sod Problem. Three material cell with T-junction and symmetry preservation



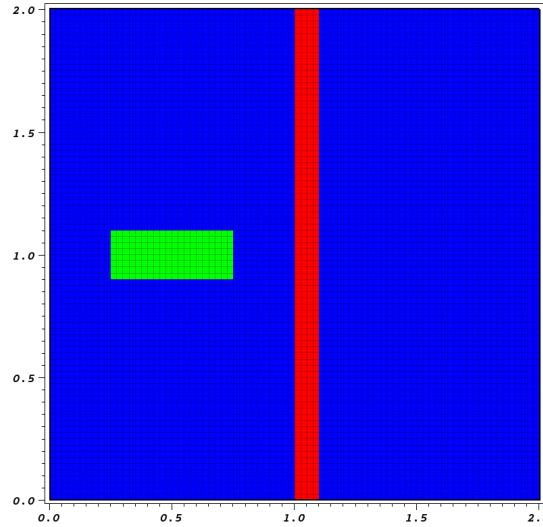
Tipton



IA-SSD

Interface positions at  $t = 0.2$ , modified Sod problem, 2D calculation, non-symmetric 'T'-junction case

# Impact Problem - Robustness Test



**Green** material - the high density gas has properties  $\rho_2 = 20.0, p_2 = 2.0, \gamma_2 = 50.0, u = 0.2$  and  $v = 0$ ,

**Blue** material - (Air) -  $\rho_1 = 1.0, p_1 = 1.0, \gamma_1 = 1.4, u = 0$  and  $v = 0$ ,

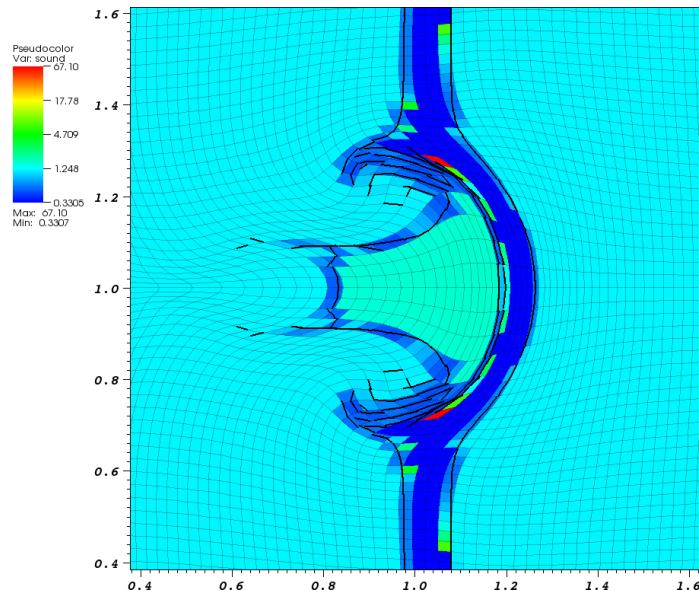
**Red** material - the medium density gas has properties  $\rho_3 = 15.0, p_3 = 1.0, \gamma_3 = 5/3, u = 0$  and  $v = 0$ .

The simulation final time is  $t = 8.0$  -  $80 \times 80$  cells.

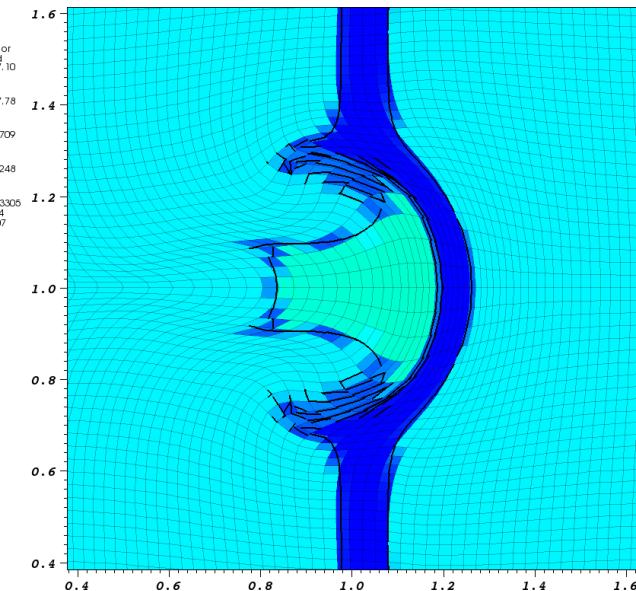
ALE-10 regime: a single iteration of the Winslow algorithm to retain the Lagrangian mesh as much as possible



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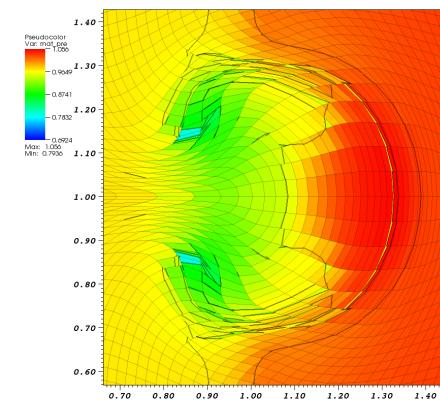
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Sound speed values (logarithm scale) for the impact test case at  $t = 3.0$ . Note also that the IA-SSD simulation shows less initial break up of material, possibly due to the improved material centroid update that is available.

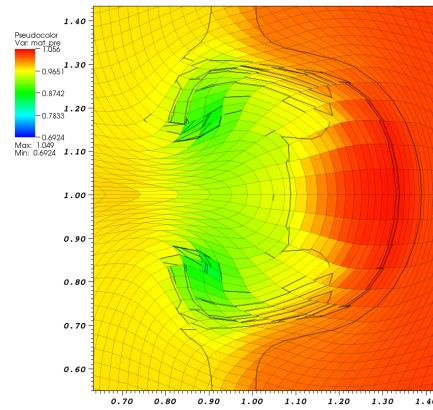
# Impact Problem - Robustness Test

The general behavior of the two simulations tend to appear similar, significant differences between the two solutions are apparent

Material pressure values for the impact test case at  $t = 4.25$



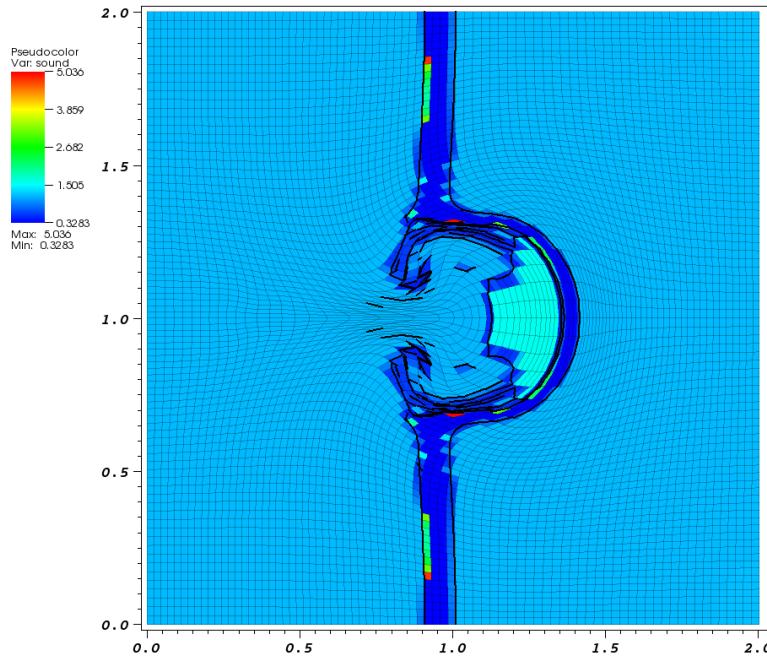
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The pressure the air compressed between the high- and medium-density materials differs greatly between methods. The IA-SSD approach achieves equilibrium in all materials, whereas the Tipton solution results in a low pressure for the air. Additionally, the Tipton pressure at the vortices following the impact is also differs from the IA-SSD pressures in the same locations.

# Impact Problem - Robustness Test



Cell sound speed values for the Tipton simulation of the impact test case at  $t = 4.4705$

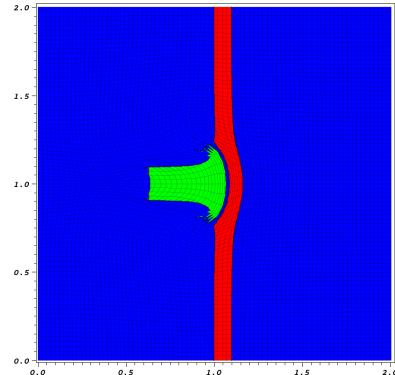
just prior to simulation failure

The improved robustness afforded by the IA-SSD approach allows the simulation to run until completion at  $t = 8$

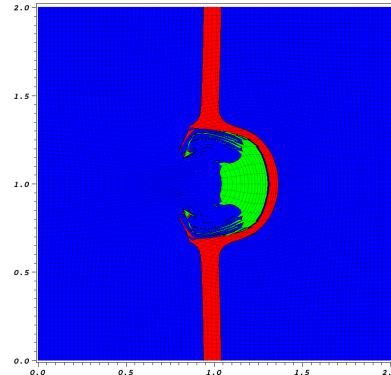


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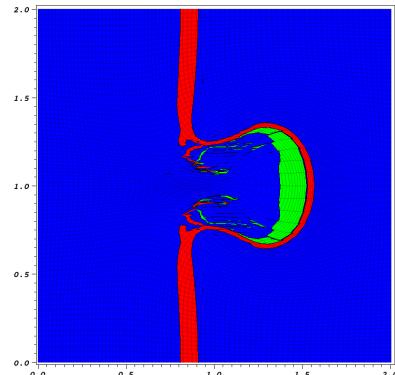
## Dynamics of the IA-SSD simulation



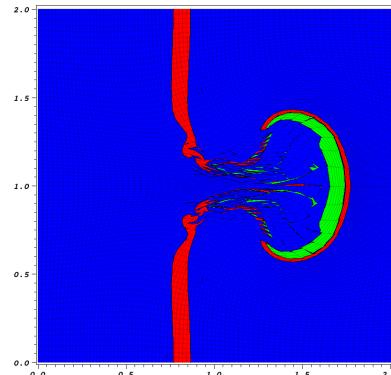
$t = 0.2$



$t = 0.4$



$t = 0.6$



$t = 0.8$

## Conclusion and Future Work

- New optimization-based interface-aware subscale dynamics approach to closure models
- No user intervention
- Voids - see poster
- Solids
- Other Physics

